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June 2, 2006 (PBW Project No. 1352)

# VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL AND OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

Mr. Gary Miller Superfund Division, Region 6 (6SF-AP) Arkansas/Texas Section U.S. Environmental Protection Agency 1445 Ross Avenue, Suite 1200 Dallas, Texas 75202-2733

Ms. Barbara A. Nann, Assistant Regional Counsel U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 6 Superfund Division (6RC-S) 1445 Ross Avenue, Suite 1200 Dallas, Texas 75202-2733

Re:

Advance Notice of RI/FS Field Activities, Gulfco Marine Maintenance Site, Freeport,

Texas

Dear Mr. Miller and Ms. Nann:

Pursuant to Section XII, Paragraph 55 of the modified Unilateral Administrative Order (UAO) for the above-referenced Site, Pastor, Behling & Wheeler, LLC (PBW), on behalf of LDL Coastal Limited LP (LDL), Chromalloy American Corporation (Chromalloy) and The Dow Chemical Company (Dow) (collectively referred to as Respondents in the UAO and the Statement of Work (SOW) attached thereto), herewith provides advance notice of upcoming RI/FS field activities. As discussed in our previous telephone conversations, multiple RI/FS field activities will be initiated during the next few months. Based on our current schedule, the first of these activities will be the collection of surface water and sediment samples from the Intracoastal Waterway, which we anticipate starting on June 19, 2006. This work will be performed by Benchmark Ecological Services, Inc. (BESI) as a subcontractor to PBW. In accordance with Paragraph 84 of the UAO, please find attached current insurance certificates for BESI and PBW.

In accordance with Paragraph 52 of the UAO, I certify that I have been fully authorized by the Respondents to submit this information and to legally bind all Respondents thereto.

Mr. Miller and Ms. Nann June 2, 2006 Page 2 of 2

Thank you for your continued support on this project. Should you have any questions or comments regarding these planned activities, do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

PASTOR, BEHLING & WHEELER, LLC

Eric F. Pastor, P.E.

Principal Engineer

cc: Mr. Brent Murray - Sequa Corporation

Mr. Rob Rouse - The Dow Chemical Company

Mr. Allen Daniels - LDL Coastal Limited, LP

Mr. F. William Mahley - Strasburger & Price, LLP

Mr. James C. Morris III - Thompson & Knight, LLP

Ms. Elizabeth Webb - Thompson & Knight, LLP

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Your authorized Signature

THE INSURER, ITS AGENTS OR REPRESENTATIVES.

**AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE** 

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### **COVERAGES**

Bob Davidson P.O. Box 158 Katy TX 77492-0158

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		CLAIMS MADE X OCCUR				MED EXP (Any one person)	\$ 5000
		X Pollution Liab	FEC6106345	03/24/06	03/24/07	PERSONAL & ADV INJURY	\$ 1000000
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		ANY AUTO				COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident)	\$ 1000000
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A		X HIRED AUTOS X NON-OWNED AUTOS	FEC6106345 FEC6106345	03/24/06 03/24/06	03/24/07 03/24/07	BODILY INJURY (Per accident)	\$
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		ANY AUTO				OTHER THAN AUTO ONLY: EA ACC	
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DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES / EXCLUSIONS ADDED BY ENDORSEMENT / SPECIAL PROVISIONS

\*\*See Notes\*\*

# CERTIFICATE HOLDER

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CANCELLATION

Pastor, Behling & Wheeler, LLC Eric Pastor

2201 Double Creek Dr. Ste 4004

Round Rock TX 78664

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, THE ISSUING INSURER WILL ENDEAVOR TO MAIL 30 NOTICE TO THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER NAMED TO THE LEFT, BUT FAILURE TO DO SO SHALL IMPOSE NO OBLIGATION OR LIABILITY OF ANY KIND UPON THE INSURER, ITS AGENTS OR REPRESENTATIVES.

Texas Mutual Insurance Co.

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# **IMPORTANT**

If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must be endorsed. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

## DISCLAIMER

The Certificate of Insurance on the reverse side of this form does not constitute a contract between the issuing insurer(s), authorized representative or producer, and the certificate holder, nor does it affirmatively or negatively amend, extend or alter the coverage afforded by the policies listed thereon.

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NOTEPAD: INSURED'S NAME Benchmark Ecological Svc., Inc. OPID AD DATE 06/02/06

The United States Environmental Protection Agency, The Client & its employees, officers, directors, agents, partners, successors, and assigns; and Consultant & its employees, officers, directors, agents, partners, successors, and assigns. Client and Consultant shall not be subject to the "other insurance" condition or other policy terms which conflict with this Agreement, it being the intent that the insurance policies of Consultant and its agents, affiliates, or subcontractors (except the policy in subparagraph shall be primary insurance and not contributory with any other insurance that Client may have in effect. All insurance policies shall provide, as evidenced by Certificates of Insurance, that the insurance coverage provided shall not be canceled, reduced, restricted or changed in any way without at least thirty (30) days prior written notice to the Consultant In the event of any such cancellation, non-renewal, reduction, restriction or change in any insurance, the Contractor shall immediately replace such insurance.

Consultant: Pastor, Behling & Wheeler, LLC Client: Chromalloy American Corporation and The Dow Chemical Company